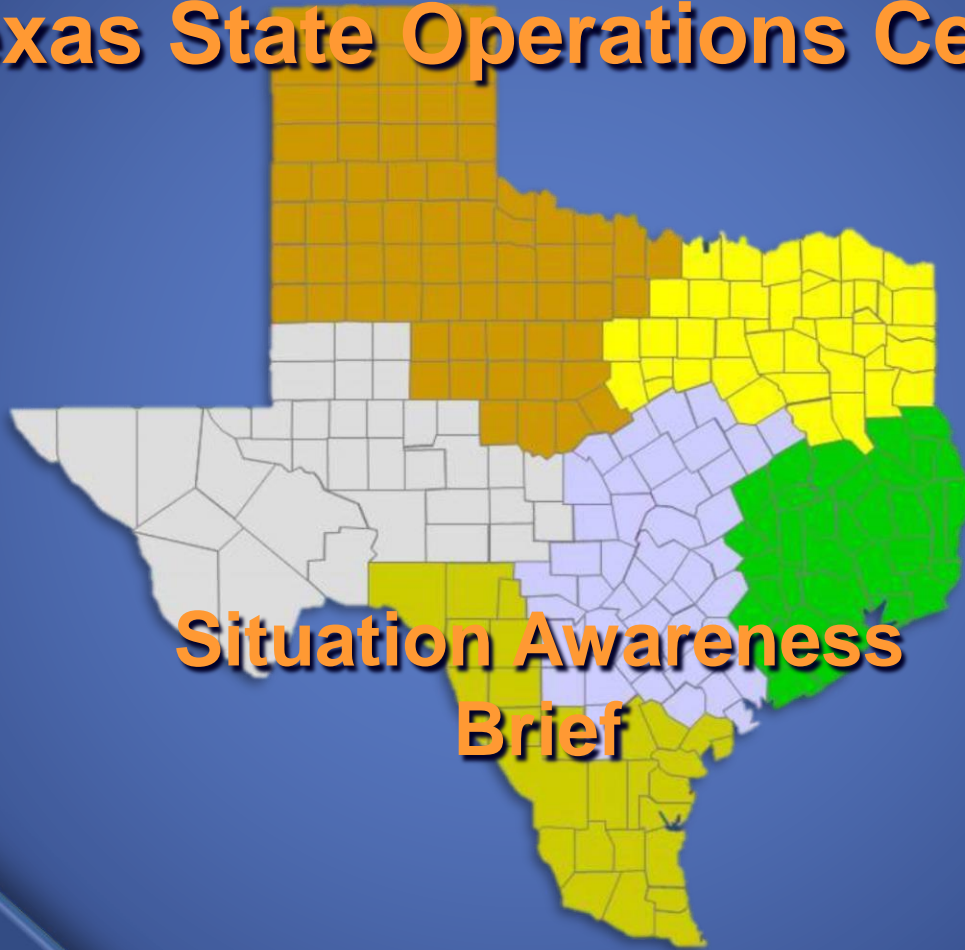


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Situation Awareness Brief



Saturday, May 2nd 2020
As of 0900 CST

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

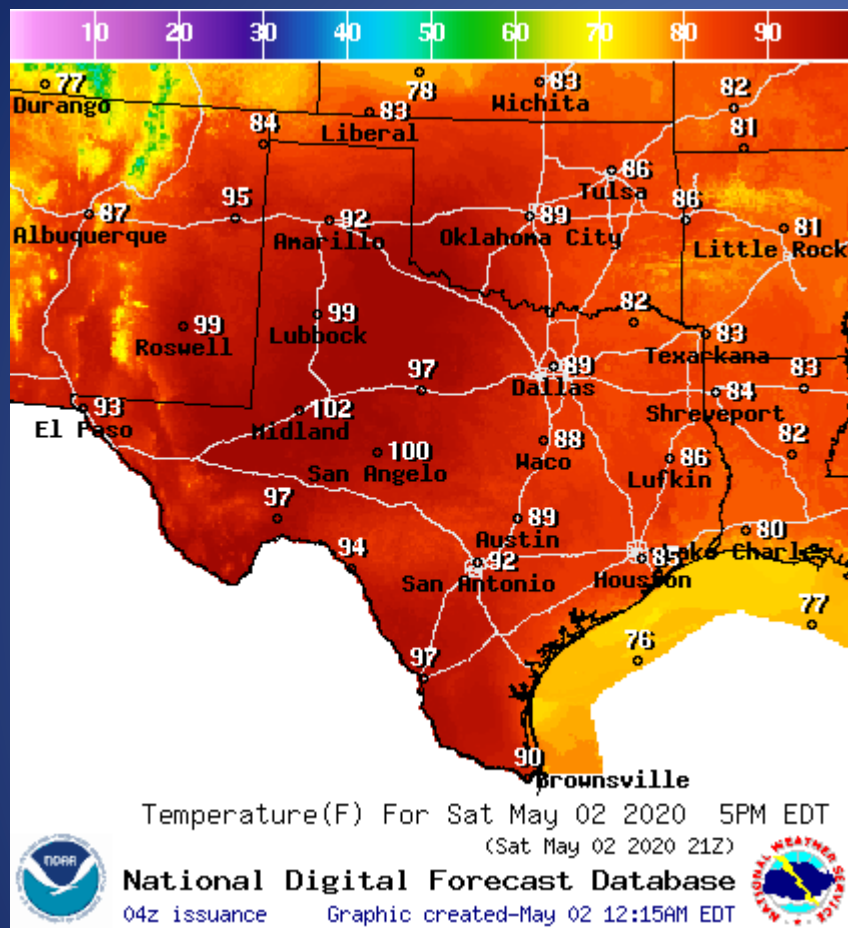
	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
05/01/20	Update Report #5 of the Holcomb Road Fire	Crockett & Val Verde Counties	N
05/01/20	Initial Report of the Hatchett Fire	Callahan County	N
05/01/20	Final Report of the Hatchett Fire	Callahan County	Y
05/02/20	Preliminary Report of an Earthquake (M2.6) in Western Texas	Culberson County	Y

Informational Products

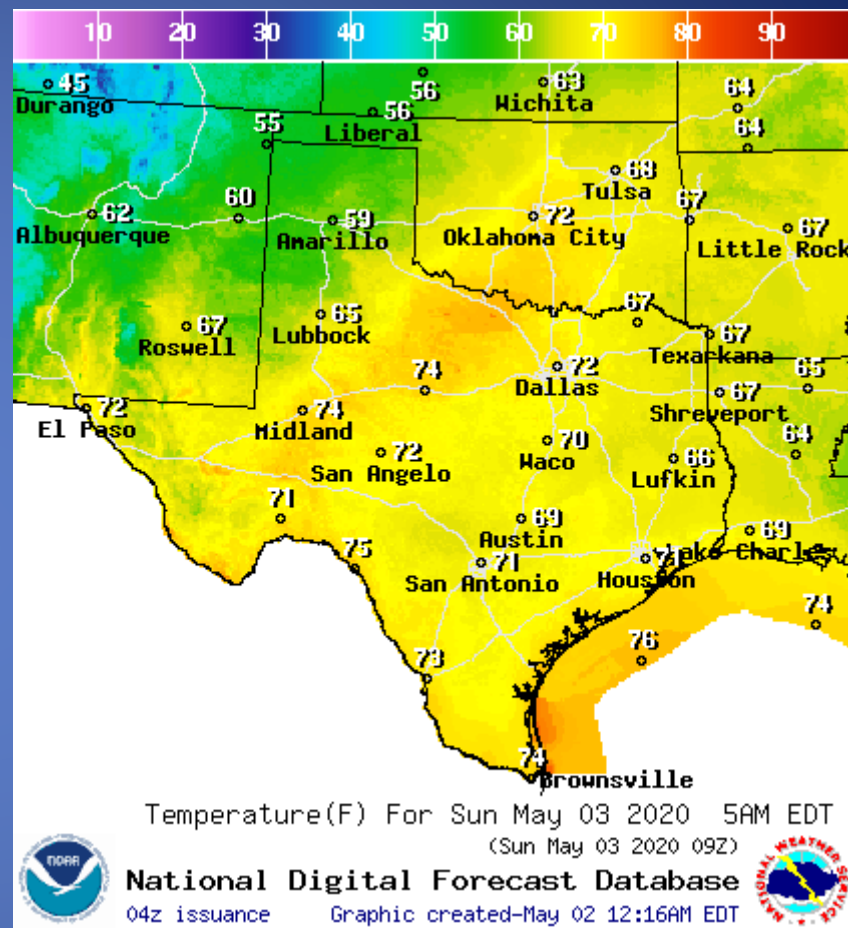
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DATE	SUBJECT
05/01/20	20-0003 COVID-19 2020 SITREP 43
05/01/20	Amber Alert Discontinuation - San Antonio PD
05/01/20	NWS Brownsville Seasonal Weather Update for March/April Combined Remain #1 Warmest in Rio Grande Valley
05/01/20	Silver Alert Activation - Lamar County SO
05/01/20	Silver Alert Discontinuation - Lamar County Sheriff's Office
05/02/20	NWS Houston/Galveston: Drought Information Statement

Weather Forecast

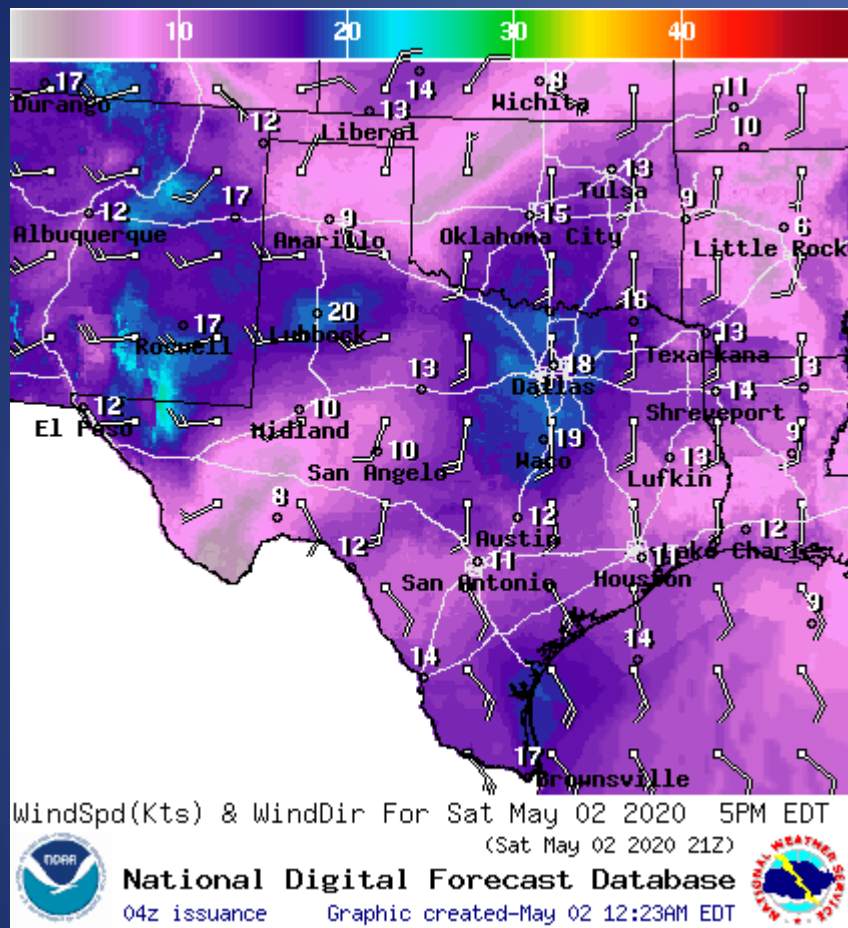


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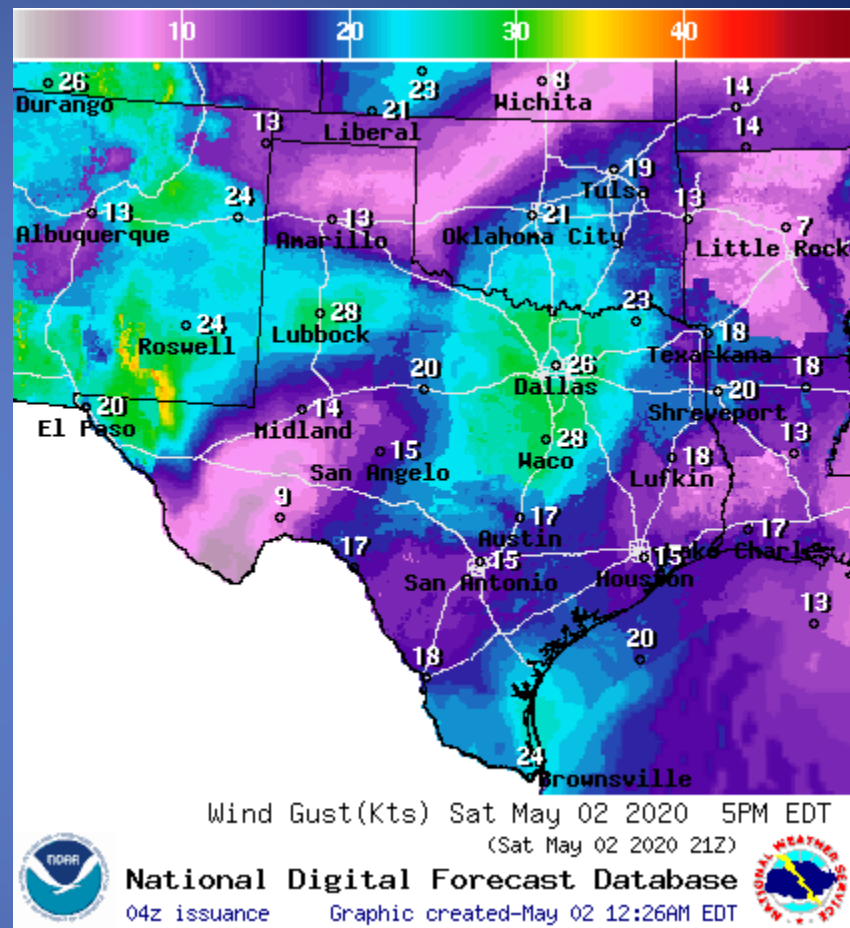


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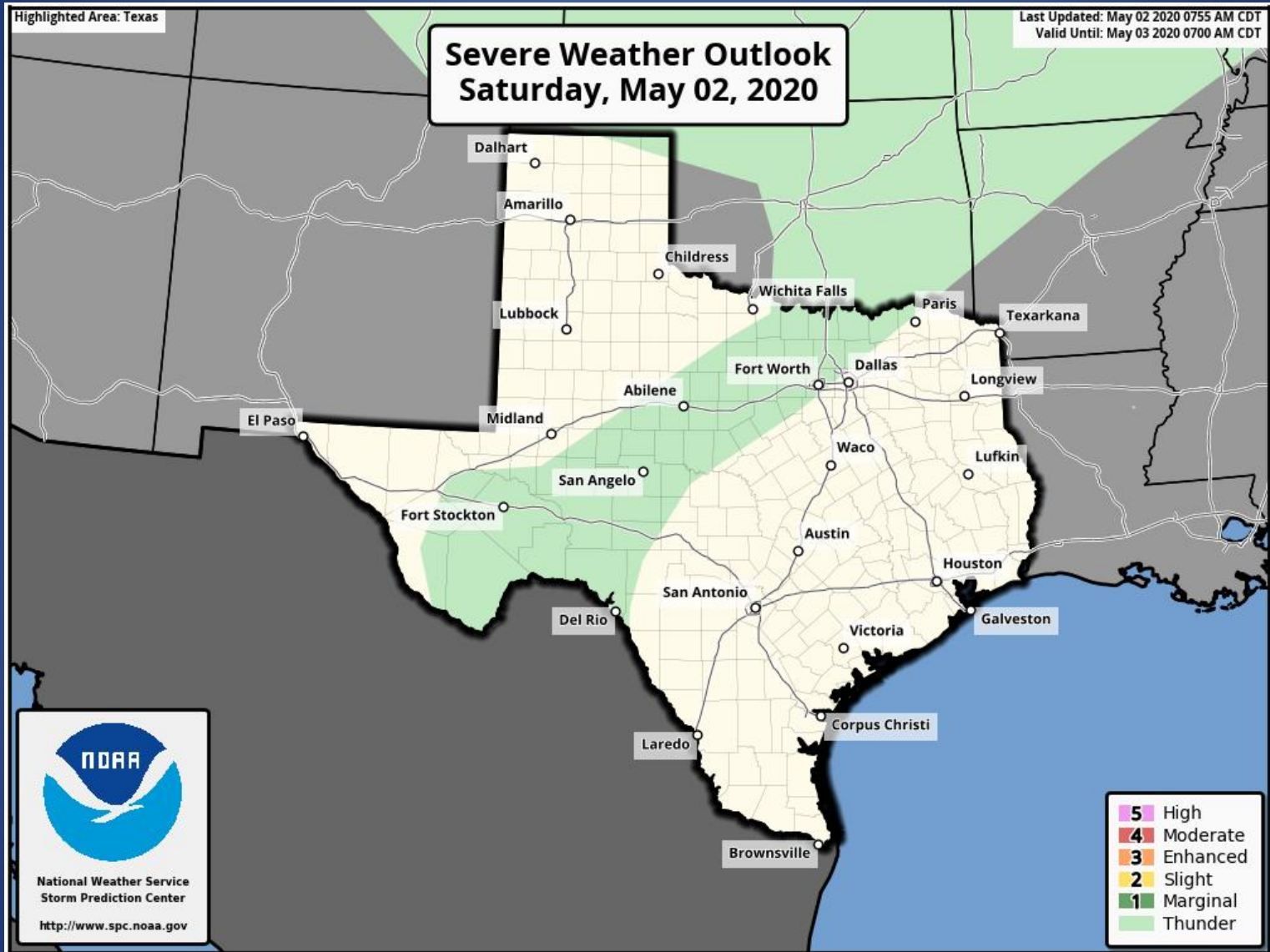


Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather

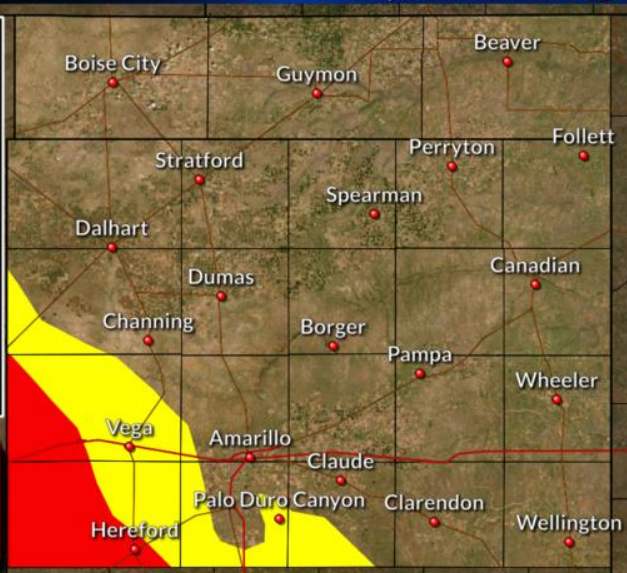
Fire Danger Saturday Afternoon

Weather Forecast Office
Amarillo, TX
Issued May 02, 2020 4:02 AM CDT



- Winds out of the southwest across the SW TX Panhandle this afternoon will keep things dry, leading to elevated to critical fire weather conditions

- Avoid activities that generate sparks or involve open flame!



ELEVATED
FIRE
WEATHER
CONDITIONS

CRITICAL
FIRE
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CONDITIONS

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While most of us will see northerly winds this afternoon, the southwestern Texas Panhandle will likely be dealing with winds out of the southwest. These winds will keep the southwestern Texas Panhandle dry, leading to elevated to critical fire weather conditions.

Fire Weather Outlook

Weather Forecast Office
Norman, OK
Issued May 2, 2020 3:10 AM CDT



Oklahoma, north Texas area - next 7 days

	Sat 2	Sun 3	Mon 4	Tue 5	Wed 6	Thu 7	Fri 8
Red Flag	Red Flag Warning	None	None	None	None	None	None
Near Critical	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Main area(s)	Western N Texas						
High Temperatures (°F)	83-105	78-92	83-100	76-84	76-84	76-86	71-82
Minimum RH (%)	10-53	33-53	21-54	22-46	20-37	27-42	30-49
Avg. Winds (mph)	S→Var	→NE	→SE	NE	NE→E	SE	NE
	16-21	12-17	14-17	14-18	9-13	14-18	14-18
Max. Gusts (mph)	29	24	24	25	17	25	25

NOTE: These categories represent the worst conditions expected each day.

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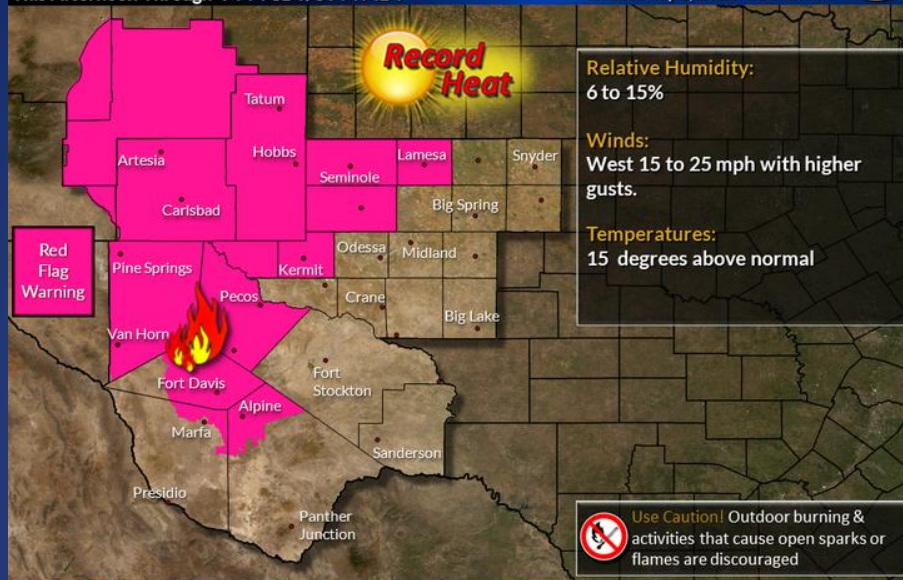
Breezy, very hot, and extremely dry conditions are expected this afternoon and early evening over southwest Oklahoma and adjacent parts of north Texas. This will result in Elevated to Near Critical fire conditions, even with somewhat limited fuels.

Hazardous Weather

Red Flag Warning

This Afternoon Through 9 PM CDT/8 PM MDT

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued May 2, 2020 4:10 AM CT



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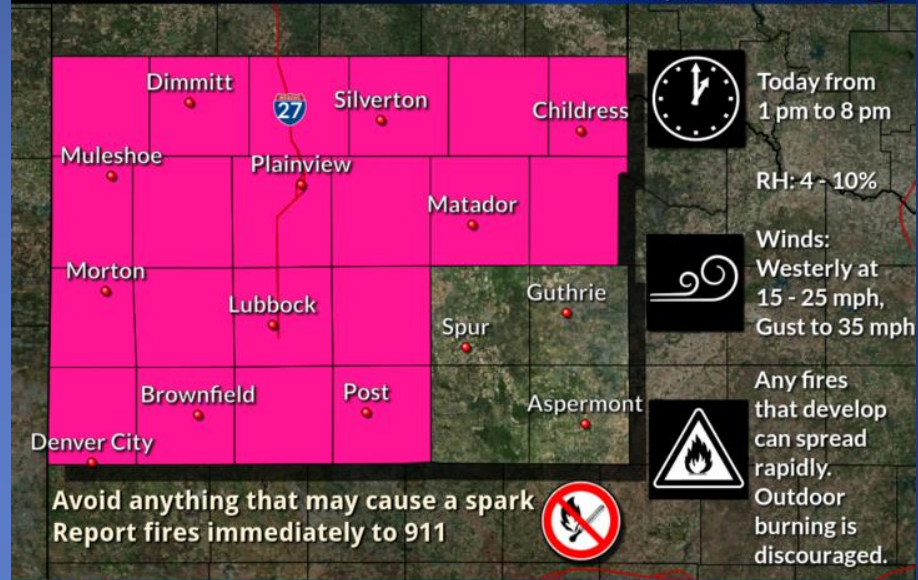
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Dry conditions and record heat will result in critical fire weather conditions this afternoon across southeast New Mexico, portions of southwest Texas and western Texas.

Red Flag Warning from 1 to 8 pm

Critical Fire Weather Conditions

Weather Forecast Office
Lubbock, TX
Issued May 02, 2020 7:34 AM CDT



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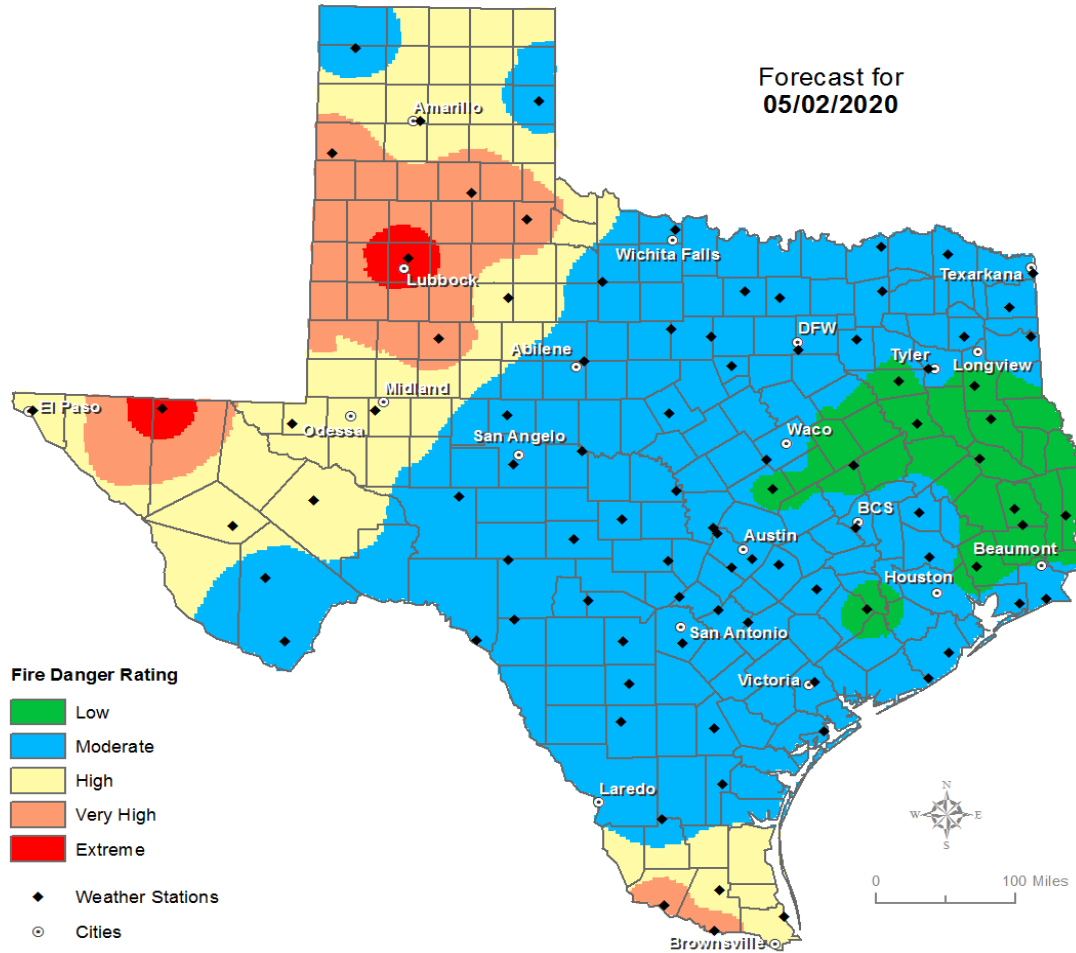
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Gusty, hot and dry westerly winds will affect the South Plains region this afternoon and evening, creating critical fire weather. A Red Flag Warning is in effect from 1 pm to 8 pm. Any fires that develop can spread rapidly. Outdoor burning is discouraged.

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Forecast for
05/02/2020



Burn Ban

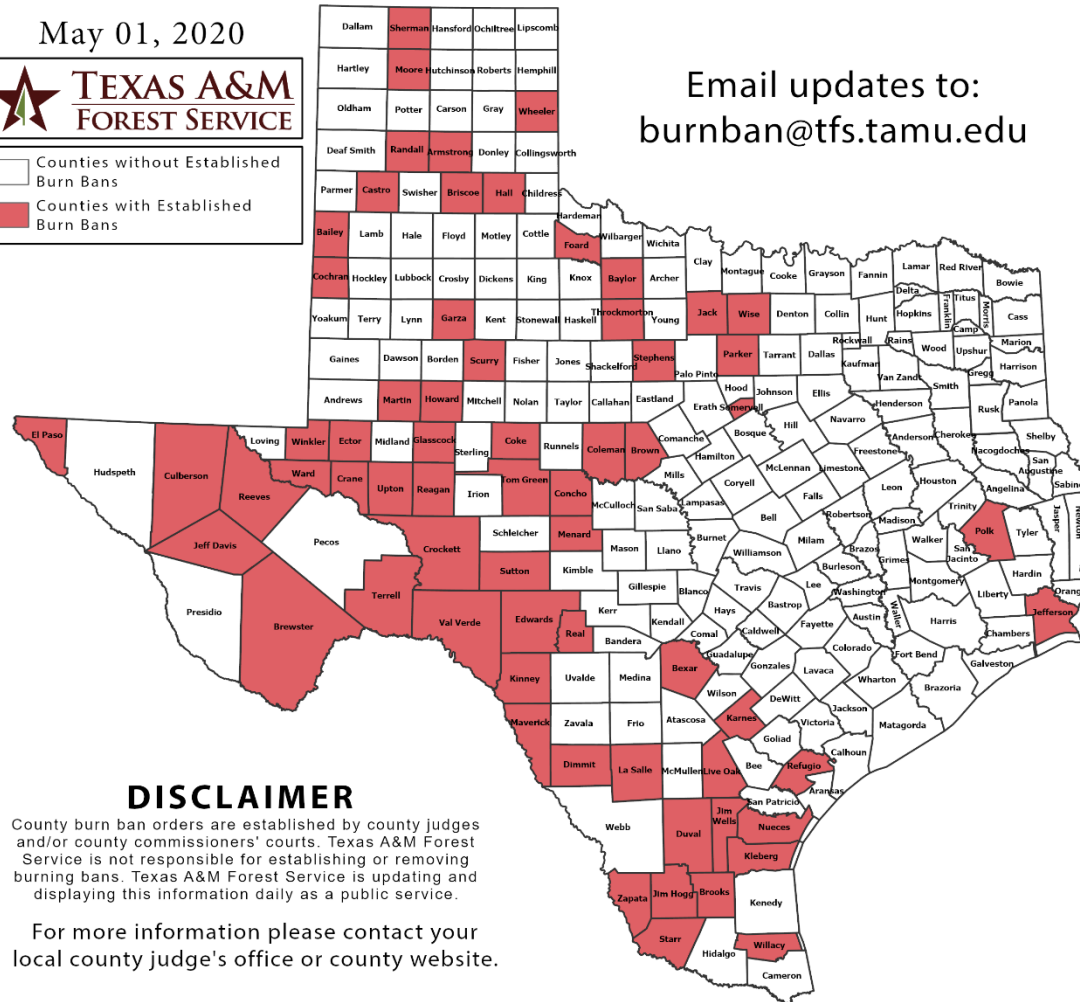
OUTDOOR BURN BANS

May 01, 2020



□ Counties without Established Burn Bans
■ Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



Counties with Burn Bans: 65

Armstrong Kleberg
Bailey La Salle
Baylor Live Oak
Bexar Martin
Brewster Maverick
Briscoe Menard
Brooks Moore
Brown Nueces
Castro Parker
Cochran Polk
Coke Randall
Coleman Reagan
Concho Real
Crane Reeves
Crockett Refugio
Culberson Scurry
Dimmit Sherman
Duval Somervell
Ector Starr
Edwards Stephens
El Paso Sutton
Foard Terrell
Garza Throckmorton
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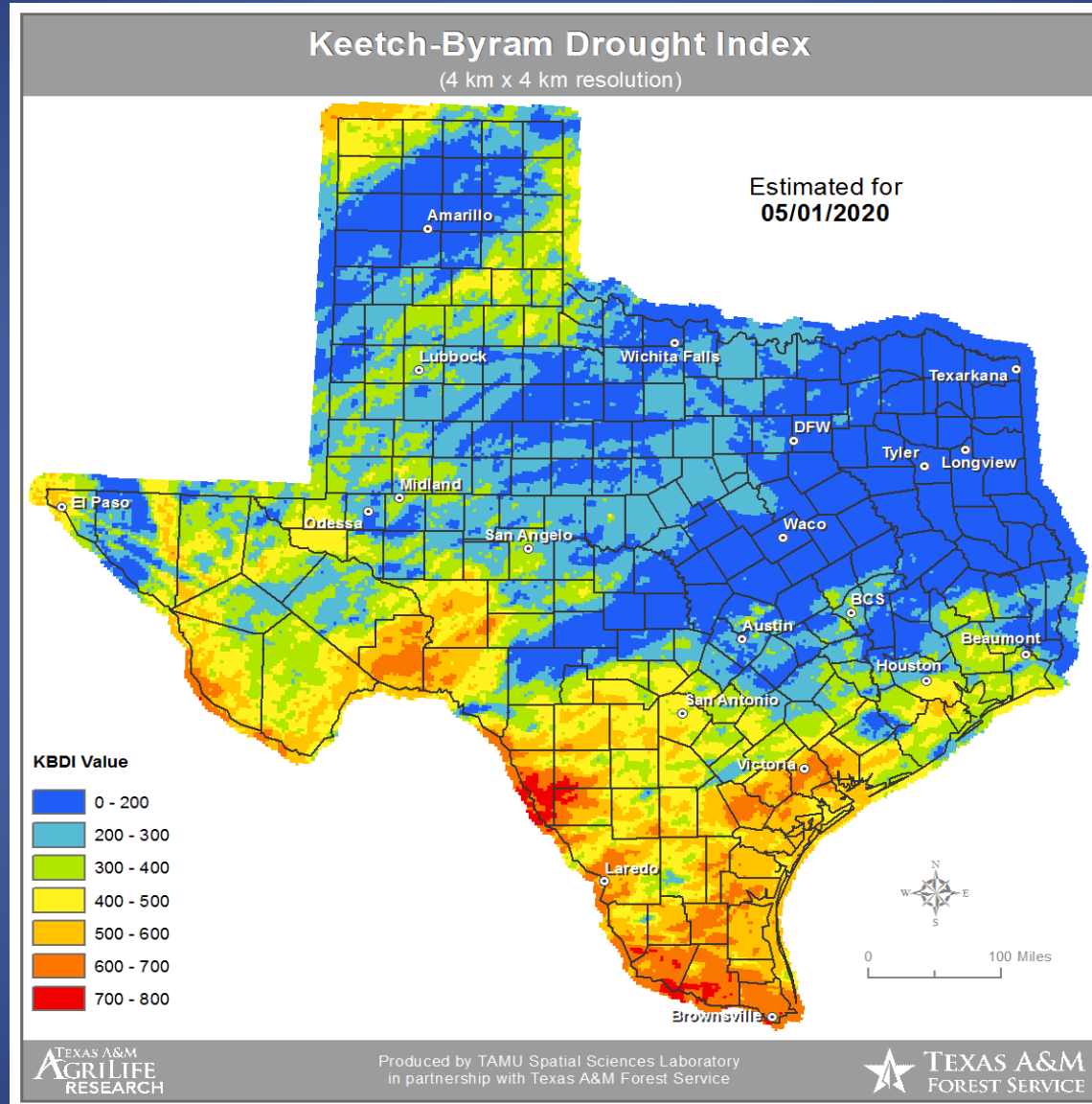
County burn ban orders are established by county judges and/or county commissioners' courts. Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. Texas A&M Forest Service is updating and displaying this information daily as a public service.

For more information please contact your local county judge's office or county website.

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index



Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/02/20	Red Flag Warning	Andrews, Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Crosby, Culberson, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, Hockley, Jeff Davis, Knox, Lamb, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Oldham, Parmer, Reeves, Swisher, Terry, Winkler and Yoakum Counties
05/02/20	Fire Danger Statement	Armstrong, Coke, Crockett, Fisher, Hartley, Haskell, Irion, Jones, Nolan, Potter, Randall, Sterling and Taylor Counties; Palo Duro Canyon

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 92 (+1) fires and 29,117 (+6) acres destroyed this year. There are 65 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 44 (-7) counties with an average over 400.

